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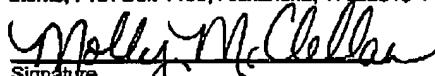
In re Application of: SOMMER et al.

For: MULTI-POLAR ELECTRICAL MEDICAL LEAD CONNECTOR SYSTEM

Serial No.: 10/646,899

Filed: 08/21/2003

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR §1.8 I hereby certify that this Amendment and Response and the paper(s), as described herein are being sent to teleximile No. (571) 273 8300, MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on October 11, 2005.



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Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

X AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Applicant requests a ONE-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated June 9, 2005, from September 9, 2005, to October 9, 2005.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2546 \$120.00 for extension of time and \$ for for a TOTAL OF \$120.00. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies, and credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.

Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.

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